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TTBT-PNE MESSAGE NUMBER SIX

1. REFERENCE STATE 031754 PARAGRAPH FIVE. WE UNDERSTAND MOROKHOV WAS NOT IN VIENNA. MOSCOW 1845 SIMPLY REPORTED HIS STATEMENT. WE DO NOT KNOW WHAT HE MEANT WHEN HE SAID HE "LISTENED TO." SOVIET SIDE DID GET TAPES OF BILATERAL PROCEEDINGS.
2. REFERENCE STATE 031754 PARAGRAPH FIVE. WE WILL TALK PRIVATELY WITH TIMERBAEV. WE ALSO SEE POSSIBLE MERIT IN HAVING CURTIS PRESENT BRIEF CLARIFYING REMARKS ON THIS MATTER IN PLENARY. IS SUCH ACTION AUTHORIZED?
3. IN PLENARY TODAY, US STATEMENT MENTIONED DATA TO BE ACQUIRED THROUGH OBSERVERS FOR CONTAINED PNE VERIFICATION (SEE SEPARATE REPORTS THIS DATE ON PLENARY AND RESTRICTED MEETING). WE PLAN TO PRESENT STATEMENT IN FRIDAY PLENARY OUTLINING OBSERVER ACTIVITIES ALONG THE LINES OF MATERIAL ON PAGES 56 AND 57 OF JANUARY 22, 1975, INTER-AGENCY PAPER.
4. REFERENCE STATE 029629 PARAGRAPH FIVE. WE PLAN TO
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PRESENT A STATEMENT MONDAY, OR SHORTLY THEREAFTER, ON

LIMITATIONS AND VERIFICATION PROVISIONS FOR EXCAVATION
PNES. WE WILL STATE THAT THE OBJECTIVE OF THESE
LIMITATIONS AND VERIFICATION PROVISIONS IS TO INSURE
THAT SUCH PNES DO NOT PROVIDE WEAPON-RELATED BENEFITS
OTHERWISE PRECLUDED OR LIMITED BY THE TTBT. ARE WE
AUTHORIZED TO ALSO STATE THAT THESE LIMITATIONS AND
VERIFICATION PROVISIONS DO NOT IN ANY WAY DEAL WITH THE
SUBJECT OF LTBT COMPLIANCE? ARE WE AUTHORIZED TO ASK
THE SOVIETS WHAT THEY MEAN BY COMPLIANCE WITH THE LTBT?
ARE WE AUTHORIZED TO STATE THAT WE KNOW OF NO WAY TO
CONDUCT SUBSTANTIAL EXCAVATION PNES IN COMPLIANCE WITH
THE LTBT?

5. REFERENCE 031754 PARAGRAPH SEVEN. PROTOCOL OFFICERS
ASSIGNED TO DELEGATION ARE:

- (A) TSENYTSIN (PHONETIC), VICTOR
 - (B) ASTAKHOV, VLADIMIR
 - (C) MIAKINKOV, GENNADI B., DEPUTY HEAD, FOREIGN RELATIONS
DEPARTMENT, STATE COMMITTEE FOR UTILIZATION OF ATOMIC ENERGY.
 - (D) KORNYEV, N.P. (INVARIABLY GREETES AND BIDS FAREWELL
TO DELEGATION AT ENTRANCE TO STATE COMMITTEE BUILDING, NO
OTHER CONTACT).
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